IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/724,106

Applicant : Robert C. Lovell, Jr., et al.

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Title : System and Method for Virtual Carrier Addressing and

Routing for Global Short Message Service

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 9, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 05-0460.

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks: begin on page 7 of this paper.